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NOTIFICATION

Whereas, the Prime Minister's Council on Climate Change has prepared National Action Plan on Climate Change which has been launched by the Hon'ble Prime Minister on 30th June 2008.

And whereas, the National Action Plan on Climate Change (NAPCC) outlines a number of steps for climate change adaptation and mitigation. The National Action Plan hinges on development and use of new technologies.

And whereas, there are Eight National Missions which form the core of National Action Plan, representing multi-pronged, long-term and integrated strategies for achieving key goals in the context of climate change.

And whereas, the eight National Missions which are included in the National Action Plan are:

1. National Solar Mission
2. National Mission for Enhanced Energy Efficiently
3. National Mission on Sustainable Habitat
4. National Water Mission
5. National Mission for Sustaining the Himalayan Ecosystem
6. National Mission for a Green India
7. National Mission for Sustainable Agriculture
8. National Mission on Strategic Knowledge for Climate Change.

And whereas, the State Government of Sikkim has taken very pro-active role in taking various programmes and issues related to Climate Change including setting up of the Commission with numbers of experts for Glacier and Climate Change Studies.

Now therefore, for implementation of various programmes through afore-mentioned eight National Missions in a coordinated manner by different departments of the State Government and to

take maximum advantage through these Missions, the State Government is hereby pleased to constitute an Advisory Council viz. '**Sikkim State Council on Climate Change**'.

The Council shall consist of following members, namely:-

Hon'ble Chief Minister, Government of Sikkim	Chairman
Hon'ble Minister, Department of Science & Technology, Government of Sikkim	Vice Chairman
Chief Secretary, Government of Sikkim	Member
Additional Chief Secretary, Finance, Revenue & Expenditure Department	Member
Principal Secretary-cum-Development Commissioner, DPER & NECA Department	Member
Principal Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister	Member
Secretary-in-Charge, Department of Home	Member
Secretary-in-Charge, Forests, Environment & Wildlife Management Department	Member
Secretary-in-Charge, Animal Husbandry & VS Department	Member
Secretary, Health Care, Human Services & Family Welfare Department	Member
Secretary-in-Charge, Rural Management & Development Department	Member
Secretary-in-Charge, Tourism Department	Member
Secretary-in-Charge, Food Security and Agriculture Development Department	Member
Secretary-in-Charge, Horticulture and Cash-crops Development Department	Member
Secretary-in-Charge, Industries Department	Member
Secretary-in-Charge, Land Revenue & Disaster Management Department	Member
Secretary-in-Charge, Urban Development & Housing Department	Member
Secretary-in-Charge, Human Resources Development Department	Member
Secretary-in-Charge, Transport Department	Member
Secretary-in-Charge, Public Health & Eng. Department	Member
Secretary-in-Charge, Irrigation & FC Department.	Member
Secretary-in-Charge, Energy & Power Department	Member

Secretary-in-Charge, Roads & Bridges Department	Member
Secretary-in-Charge, Buildings & Housing Dept.	Member
One member from reputed Non Governmental Organization to be nominated by the State Government.	Member
Two members from Civil Society having knowledge pertaining to Climate Change issues to be nominated by the State Government.	Member
One representative from Power Developers to be nominated by the State Government.	Member
One member from Industries in Sikkim to be nominated by the State Government.	Member
Secretary, Department of Science & Technology	Member Secretary

The Sikkim State Council on Climate Change will provide policy directions and institutional mechanism for effective implementation of above mentioned Missions. The Council will also periodically review progress of various programmes taken through above mentioned Missions for climate change adaptation and mitigation and also suggest measures for effective coordination.

The State Government may also constitute working groups as and when needed to sort it out inter-sectoral issues related to Climate Change adaptation programmes.

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